

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): ~~Use of idrocilamide for the preparation of a~~
~~A pharmaceutical composition and more particularly a dermatological composition for~~
~~topical application, for treating rosacea~~ comprising idrocilamide.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): ~~Use~~ The composition according to Claim 1,
~~characterized in that wherein~~ the composition is for treating at least one stage of rosacea.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): ~~Use~~ The composition according to ~~either of Claims 1~~
~~and 2, characterized in that~~ Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the first stage of
rosacea.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): ~~Use~~ The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 3, characterized in that~~ Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the
second stage of rosacea.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): ~~Use~~ The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 4, characterized in that~~ Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the third
stage of rosacea.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): ~~Use~~ The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 5, characterized in that~~ Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the fourth
stage of rosacea.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): Use The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 6, characterized in that Claim 1, wherein~~ the composition ~~contains~~ comprises
from about 0.0001% to 20% by weight, ~~preferably from 0.001% to 10% by weight and more~~
~~preferentially from 0.1% to 5% by weight~~ of idrocilamide.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): Use The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 7, characterized in that Claim 1, wherein~~ the said composition ~~also contains~~
further comprises another an active agent ~~chosen especially from the group selected from the~~
group consisting of antibiotics, antibacterial agents, antiviral agents, antiparasitic agents,
antifungal agents, anaesthetics, analgesics, antiallergic agents, retinoids, free-radical
scavengers, anti-pruriginous agents, keratolytic agents, anti-seborrhoeic agents,
antihistamines, sulfides, immunosuppressant products and antiproliferative agents.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): Use The composition according to ~~one of Claims 1 to~~
~~8, characterized in that Claim 1, wherein~~ the said composition ~~also contains~~ further comprises
metronidazole.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): Use The composition according to ~~any one of~~
~~Claims 1 to 9, characterized in that Claim 1, wherein~~ the composition ~~contains~~ further
comprises an additive ~~chosen from the group selected from the group consisting of~~
sequestrants, antioxidants, sunscreens, preserving agents, fillers, electrolytes, humectants,
dyes, common mineral or organic acids or bases, fragrances, essential oils, cosmetic active
agents, moisturizers, vitamins, essential fatty acids, sphingolipids, self-tanning compounds,
skin calmativ and protective agents, pro-penetrating agents and gelling agents, ~~or a mixture~~
and mixtures thereof.

Claim 11 (New): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises one or more wetting liquid surfactants.

Claim 12 (New): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition comprises from about 0.001% to 10% by weight of idrocilamide.

Claim 13 (New): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition comprises from about 0.1% to 5% by weight of idrocilamide.

Claim 14 (New): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is in the form of aqueous, aqueous-alcoholic or oily solutions, dispersions of the lotion or serum type, aqueous, anhydrous or lipophilic gels, emulsions of liquid or semi-liquid consistency of the milk type, obtained by dispersing a fatty phase in an aqueous phase (O/W) or, conversely, (W/O), or suspensions or emulsions of soft, semi-solid or solid consistency of the cream, gel or ointment type, or alternatively ionic and/or nonionic microemulsions, microcapsules, microparticles or vesicular dispersions.

Claim 15 (New): A topical dermatological composition for treating rosacea comprising idrocilamide.

Claim 16 (New): A method for treating rosacea comprising applying topically to skin a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1.